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Sunrise October 4, 1946 Sunset June 9, 2020

Service: Wednesday, June 24, 2020 - 10:00 am

MCCALL'S BRONXWOOD FUNERAL HOME

4035 Bronxwood Avenue • Bronx, New York 10466 Rev. Dr. Cleotha Robertson, Officiating David Jenkins, Organist



On Tuesday, June 9, 2020, **Robert Bennett**, loving Husband, Brother, Father, Grandfather, Uncle and friend passed away at the age of 73.

Bennett was born on October 4th 1946, in Harlem NY, to William and Rosa Lee Bennett. He attended PS 57, Commerce High School, and went on to Bronx Community College. Bennett served his country and was a Vietnam veteran who was awarded a National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Campaign Medal, Vietnam Service Medal, Good Conduct Service Medal and Purple Heart.

Bennett began working as a Debt Collector in the early 1970s and later became a Credit analyst in his career. He was Vice President of the Cloverleaf Towers Board for over 12 years and recently was the Acting President.

On December 26th 1981, he married Sandra Bennett and they produced a blended family.

Bennett had a passion for people; he was much admired by family, friends, and neighbors. He was known for his humorous wit, his infectious smile, and his kind and compassionate spirit, with that he built many close relationships.

He is survived by his wife, Sandra Bennett, Daughters, Tamika Alon Vanterpool and Stephanie Rojas. Sons-in-law, Ira Vanterpool and Charles Rojas Sister, Contance Gordon Brother-in-law, Michael Gordon Uncle of Danielle Gordon and Craig Gordon. Grandchildren, Koran, Devyn, Quinn and Sloan Vanterpool, Jada Rojas, and Zarinah Scott, many wonderful cousins, other relatives and friends.

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Processional

Selection "Precious Lord" - David Jenkins, Organist

> **Prayer** Rev. Dr. Cleotha Robertson

Scripture Readings Old Testament - Psalm 23 New Testament - 2 Timothy 4:6-8

Selection "It Is Well With My Soul" - David Jenkins, Organist

> **Tributes** (2 Minutes Please)

Obituary & Acknowledgements Danielle Gordon

Eulogy Rev. Dr. Cleotha Robertson

Selection "Amazing Grace" - David Jenkins, Organist

Viewing

Prayer Rev. Dr. Cleotha Robertson

Committal

Benediction

Recessional "I'm Going Up Yonder" - David Jenkins, Organist

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Calverton National Cemetery Calverton, New York

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I'm sorry I had to leave you. My loved ones, oh so dear. But you see, the Master called me, His voice was very clear! I had made my reservation A heaven bound ticket for one, And I knew that He would call me When He felt my work was done. I know that your hearts are heavy Because I have gone away, But when the Master called me. I knew that I could not stay. Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you My loved ones, oh so dear, But, you see, the Master called me And, now I'm resting here. Yes, I've crossed on over to glory And to you all I say Just stay in the hands of Jesus And we'll meet again someday. -Author unknown

Acknowledgments

The family would like to express their deep appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness shown to them during their time of bereavement.

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